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ELD. Z. T. WILLIAMS' LETTER.
From Rome to Venice.

Editor of the News:
I finished my letter on Rome, and I might have written another on the same city with interest and profit, but must hasten on.

We bade farewell to Roma Monday morning, May 25th, and went by train to the beautiful city of Florence, via Pisa. We had three hours at Pisa, which is a town of some importance. We climbed the leaning tower which is 179 ft. high and leans 18 feet, and it makes one feel a little uneasy when he looks down from tower side. We wonder why the thing don't tumble over.

The baptistry here is a circular building with a splendid dome, the whole building being 100 feet high. It was begun in 1158. We saw the doxology while in it and the echo is the finest I ever heard. The baptistry is in the center and consists of circular basins, four feet deep—for the immersion of converts.

The Campo Santo at this place has some rare paintings. Among the most important are "Triumph of Death," and "Purgatory." After viewing these paintings, etc., we returned to the station and arrived there about 6:30 p. m. Took lodging at the Barchella Hotel, on the bank of the beautiful river, Arno, which divides the city into two equal parts. It is situated in an extensive plain, surrounded by hills, nearly all of which are cultivated to the summit. It has a population of about 200,000, and like all other cities of Italy, has a wonderful history. Her origin is in obscurity, more or less. In 1548 the bubonic plague carried off almost two-thirds of its population. We saw the Santa Croce Church, which is sometimes called the Italian Pantheon. It was erected first about 1295, A. D.

The tomb of Michael Angelo is in this church in which are the statues of the three Sideris. The portrait of Michael Angelo is by Lorenzi, and is a master painting. Florence deserves to be called the city of arts. In her galleries are to be found some of the master pieces by the master painters of the 15th century—St. Peter delivered from prison; Noe's Ark and the Deluge, etc. The first hall contains 8,000 paintings; 1,722 drawings by the art workers of all schools from the thirteenth to the sixteenth century, and I am safe in saying that Florence has the finest art gallery in all Italy. The Transfiguration, Sacrifice of Abraham; The Marriage in Cana; Adam and Eve expelled from Paradise and the Holy family, by Michael Angelo. These are all fine paintings found in the galleries of Florence.

There are other places in Florence worthy of note, but we pass on to Venice. We left Florence at 2 o'clock, May 29, and arrived at Venice that night at 10:40. We had some adventures in Venice. We had some trouble in securing a hotel to suit us. We found a few hotel porters at the station, and we bargained with one whose house was near the depot, but when we arrived things did not show up to suit us and we concluded to hunt another. So we called a gondola and embarked to hunt a hotel. Our baggage all in the boat, and it being a late hour, it appeared that the hotel wanted to take advantage of our situation and put up the price of board. One wanted nine francs, another fifteen, and another was full. So there we were sailing around in the streets of Venice at 11 o'clock, strangers in a strange city, hunting a hotel. Finally, our boatman carried us to one that suited us, and we soon arranged for the remainder of the night, and went to rest at once. Venice in some respects is the most peculiar city in the world. When we awoke next morning there was a quiet stillness that exists in no other city on the globe. Not a single wagon, carriage, street car nor any other vehicle could be heard in the city. There is not a horse nor a work horse of any kind, not even a donkey in the city. It is built apparently in the sea, and is seven miles

in circumference, and is divided by the Grand Canal into two equal parts, and has a population of 168,000. There are 146 canals that take the place of streets, and these are spanned by 400 bridges which hold the city in compact. So, that despite the watery ways you can walk all over Venice, from one end to the other. The famous gondolas are numerous here, and if you do not wish to walk you can have a pleasant sail at any time, and go anywhere you wish in the city or around it. The gondoliers are proud of their vocation and they are ready at all times to accommodate the travelers. They stand on the rear end of the vessel and conduct it with such skill that no other boatsmen anywhere have attained. The gondolas are all shaped alike, and are all painted black, their shape peculiar. The shape is graceful and makes them easy to manage and they can make good speed when required. Many of them are very elegant and highly ornamented. The way they are used to black, it is said, was an edict in the Fifteenth Century causing them all to put on mourning to check undue competition and extravagance in decoration, but in truth it was done for political intrigue. The Gondola does duty for the cab, omnibus, cart, coach, wagon, wheelbarrow and horse. It is found everywhere and everybody travels in them.

The climate of Venice is temperate. The mean temperature being about 47 degrees in January, the coldest month, and about 78 degrees from June to August, the warmest months. The air is free from dust but not from dampness. Mosquitoes and gnats are troublesome in low weather. We will mention a few of the principle sights to be seen in Venice and leave it to the reader to decide.

The Piazza of St. Mark is the largest open square in Venice and is surrounded with some of the most interesting buildings in the place, in fact it is the finest place of the kind in all Europe. It forms a half square as well as two squares or quadrangle. It forms an entrance to Venice from the sea. Every evening in suitable weather it is the grand resort of all ranks of men and women. All public demonstrations, political and religious are held here, and in no other city in the world does the life of the place so center in one spot. In summer a good band plays here twice every week. St. Mark's church which stands at the west corner is perhaps the most important building around the piazza. It is the finest building in the city and tradition has it that as early as 550, A. D. a church stood on this spot and was dedicated to St. Theodore. In the year 820 the body of St. Mark the Evangelist, which had long lain in the Temple founded by himself at Alexandria, if credited to prevalent tradition can be given, was transferred to Venice by two merchants of the latter city. St. Mark then became the patron Saint of Venice and his remains repose, it is believed under the high altar. The church is built in the shape of a Greek cross and occupies all of the eastern end of the piazza. The inside of the church is a marvelous museum. Every country where the fleet of Venice penetrated has been laid under contribution, and the guide is continually pointing out the special things from the different countries. There are four columns under one of the altars of alabaster, said to have belonged to the temple of Solomon of Jerusalem.

In front of the church stands the Campanile or bell tower of St. Marks. It is of brick, 40 feet square at the base and 350 feet high. It was commenced in the tenth century and completed in sixteenth century. The tower has no steps but is ascended by an inclined plane all the way up, and is very easy of ascent. We climbed it and had a splendid view of all the city.

On the left of St. Marks stands the clock tower erected by Pietro Lombardo in 1490. On the dial plate are marked the twenty-four hours, the signs of the Zodiac and the phases of the moon. Above this is a Madonna between two

doors, and we were told to watch when the clock struck, and we did so, and just after each hour is marked by strokes on a bell at the top, by a man standing there with a big hammer in his hand, always ready to strike, and on some hours with a big trumpet which he blows, loved to the Madonna and passed on. He was followed by the three gentlemen, called the wise men or sacred kings, one of whom is as black as night. These all bow to the virgin and pass in to a door on the right which closes after them. While this performance is passing there is another gentleman at the top, on the right of the bells, pealing forth with all his might. We learned the performance only occurred once a week in the year at some festival and we were in luck to see it.

At Venice the first book printed in Italy was issued from the press. It was the "Familiar Epistles of Cicero," printed by Jean de Spire in 1469. The first editions of the Bible and of the classics were issued at Venice. At the beginning of the seventeenth century the first news paper in the world appeared at Venice. Being sold for the penny called Gazzetta, it is thus called its name Gazette. At Venice appeared the first Bill of exchange, the first Bank of Deposit and Discount. Artillery was first invented by the Venetians. The most famous glass manufactures are found in and around Venice. Murano is one mile and three quarters from Venice where the celebrated Venetian glass is made. We visited some of the glass manufactures in the city and saw them blowing glass into all shapes.

The Doges Palace here was founded in the 820, and was destroyed and rebuilt five times, and each reconstruction has produced a more magnificent building. It is now only a picture gallery and a museum, but it still retains all its beauty and magnificence on the inside. Cadmox, who invented the alphabet, was a Venetian. But I have written now too much about this historic city which figures largely in the history of Italy. My next will be from Venice to Paris.

IS IT RIGHT
For an Editor to Recommend Patent Medicines?

From Sylvan Valley News, Brerard, N. C.
It may be a question whether the editor of a newspaper has the right to publicly recommend any of the various proprietary medicines which do good, but as a preventive of suffering we feel it a duty to say a good word for Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. We have known and used this medicine in our family for twenty years and have always found it reliable. In many cases a dose of this remedy would save hours of suffering while a physician is sought. We do not believe in depending implicitly on any medicine for a cure, but we do believe that if a bottle of Chamberlain's Diarrhoea Remedy were kept on hand and administered at the inception of an attack, much suffering might be avoided and in very many cases the presence of a physician would not be required. At least this has been our experience during the past twenty years. For sale by M. Craven.

There are hundreds and hundreds of Republicans who are thoroughly disgusted with McKinley because they regard him merely as a puppet in the hands of Mark Hanna, but the chance is they won't have the courage to show their courage at the polls.

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Congress declared that as soon as Cuba was pacified the American troops should be withdrawn. Cuba has been "pacified" almost two years. Yet five full regiments and two batteries of American soldiers remain in Cuba. A promise made by the McKinley Administration is subject to a heavy discount.—Oscar Wild-Herald.

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In a collision on the Moscow at Cedar Lake an engineer was killed and a fireman injured.

GRADYVILLE.
The Baptist Ministerial meeting was in session here last week. Good attendance.

Rev. W. H. C. Sandidge preached an interesting discourse last Sunday.

Rev. Thad Salmon returned from Knob Lick last Saturday.

J. H. Smith sold last week to Arthur Bradshaw, one milk cow for \$40.00.

Uncle P. Nelson, who has been confined for several months to his room, visited our town last week.

Miss Jessie Caldwell, of Portland, is the guest of Miss Sallie Diddle.

John Turk, the well-known stock dealer, of Cumberland county, is spending a few days in our midst.

A. Huns, of Columbia, was in our vicinity last week, looking after aged mules.

Gran. Shirliff, of Columbia, the tobacco man, has been with us several days, visiting tobacco.

Rollin Hart and James Garrett, Jr., attended Squire Gowen's court last week.

Miss Mary Holladay, of Zion, passed through our place last week for the Nelson school, which she will teach this year. This is Miss Mary's second term at that place. The district is highly pleased with the teacher.

W. W. Yates, one of our best stockmen, is in Metcalfe county, buying and shipping sheep.

Virgil Boston, of Sulphur Well, was in our town last week.

A few of our young people attended the picnic at Montgomery's school-house last Saturday. We understand that it was a very enjoyable occasion.

W. C. Yates, of Glasgow, spent last Saturday in our town. He informed us that he was doing a good business with his carding machine.

We are glad to report that C. S. Bell, who has been dangerously ill, is much better.

Mrs. W. M. Moss, who is teaching in the Cool Spring district, was taken dangerously sick in the school-room one day last week. It was thought she had a conjunctive chill. At this writing she is better.

The farmers of this section are through cutting oats, grass, etc., and are now complaining of dry weather.

Smith & Nell bought last week in Cumberland county 550 sheep and 20 cattle for \$465; sold to C. M. Herford 55 sheep for \$185; also sold to Lloyd Bros. two milk cows \$37.50 each.

Born, to the wife of Jas. G. Sexton, on the 13th, a daughter.

Charley Smith was shot from ambush near Milltown. He thinks his father-in-law and brother-in-law are connected with the shooting.

Spent a Good Farm Doctoring.

Mr. A. N. Noel, of Ashville, Kan., says he spent a good farm doctoring himself for chronic diarrhoea but got no relief and was afraid that he must die. He changed to get hold of a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and was permanently cured by it. For sale by M. Craven.

The burden of the Republican managers in the campaign will be to defend the party against the charge of drifting toward imperialism. Hitherto they have sought to ridicule the suggestion into insignificance, but as the position of many prominent Republicans becomes known it is quite evident that the issue is going to be a most prominent feature, as the campaign progresses, than will be comfortable for the supporters of the McKinley administration.—Seattle Times.

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Tien-Tsin Taken.

By the Allies After Desperate Fighting and Heavy Losses.

Decisive Victory Over the Chinese Were Put to Rout—City Destroyed by Bombardment.

LOSS OF ALLIED FORCES 773.

London, July 17.—12:45 p. m.—The Daily Mail today has the following dispatch from its Shanghai correspondent, under date of July 17:

"The allied troops resumed the attack upon the walled city of Tien-Tsin on the morning of July 14, and succeeded in breaching the walls and capturing all the fortifications.

"The Chinese were completely routed, and the allied took possession of the native city and its defenses.

"The total losses of the allies in the engagements of Thursday, Friday and Saturday were about 800 killed or wounded. The casualties were great among the Russians and Japanese."

"The guns of the allies did immense damage to the native city, causing many large conflagrations, and finally secured the majority of the enemy's guns simultaneously. Then 1,500 Russians, assisted by small parties of German and French, assaulted and captured eight guns that were in position on the railway embankment and the fort, the magazine of which the French subsequently blew up. A body of American, British, Japanese and Australian troops made a sortie and attacked the west arsenal, which the Chinese had recaptured. After three hours of the hardest fighting the Chinese fled.

"When the arsenal had been evacuated by the Chinese, the Americans, French, Japanese and Welsh Fusiliers advanced to the native city and joined with the other attacking forces. The Japanese Infantry and a mounted battery advanced to the foot of the walls supported by the Americans and French. Despite valiant attacks the allies were only able to hold the positions gained outside the walls preparatory to renewing the assault in the morning.

"The casualties sustained by the allies were exceedingly heavy, especially those to the Americans, French and Japanese. Several explosions in the native city were caused by bombardment. The Chinese appear to have exhausted their supply of smokeless powder, as they are now using black powder.

Washington, July 17.—Admiral Remy this morning called the Navy Department that the city and Fort Tien-Tsin are in the hands of the allies. His list of killed and wounded is somewhat fuller than yesterday's report but still not entirely complete. His dispatch is as follows:

"Chifu, July 17.—Today hope to get wounded from Tien-Tsin either in hospitals at Taku or aboard ships. Communication very uncertain. Following casualties apparently confirmed: Marines—Captain Davis, killed; Captain Leamy, Lieutenant Butler and Leonard, wounded; Army—Col. Lieouan, killed; Major Rogers and Lee, Captains Jones, Brewster and Bookmiller, Lieutenants Taylor, Lawford, Hammond and Waldron wounded. Total killed and wounded reported 773; Russians and Japanese lost heavily; our total loss reported 213; about 80 were marines, but number believed to be exaggerated. Have officer on shore especially to get substantial list of names, which will be promptly telegraphed. City and forts now in the hands of allies. Admiral Seymour returned to fleet. Other shore is Admiral Aleskiel at Tien-Tsin."

Remy."

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8 inches	9.00	45.00	95.00	185.00	360.00
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WEDNESDAY, JULY 25.

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For Vice President—

ADLAI E. STEVENSON,
Of Illinois.

For Governor—

J. C. W. BECKHAM,
Of Nelson.

For Congress—

BEN V. SMITH,
Of Pulaski.

Teddy Roosevelt says that he will begin his canvass about the 10th of September.

From Chinese sources comes the statement that the foreigners in Peking were safe on the 18th of July, but in great danger.

The next Democratic nominee for Governor will be a Black man. He will hail from Knox county, and will get there just the same.

One of the strongest points in Adlai Stevenson's record is, he does not have to answer for the sins committed by Buzzard Bay Cleveland.

The Republicans will not be assisted in the election this year with state soldiers and corporation. They must make their own fight and lose.

Mr. Bryan is certainly gaining ground every day, and if the opinions of Eastern and Western papers are correct in their judgment, he will be elected.

In re-organizing the committees at the State Convention Mr. James Garnett, Jr., this city, was elected by the Democrats of the Eleventh district to represent them on the State Central Committee.

Mr. R. M. Jolly, of Brookridge county, has been nominated by the Republicans to represent the Fourth district in Congress. He is opposed by Hon. Dave Smith, the present incumbent, and who will be continued by the people.

If human testimony is to be believed there has already been enough evidence in the Powers trial to show beyond a doubt that the most diabolical plot was made by W. S. Taylor and his gang that ever entered the minds of assassins.

The Democratic State Convention held at Lexington last week was one of the largest and most enthusiastic gatherings of Democrats that ever met in this Commonwealth. From the Big Sandy to the Mississippi, from the Ohio to the rocky cliffs of Cumberland, intelligent, earnest and honest representatives were there, there for the purpose of naming a Governor, pledged to redeem the State from the low and groveling plane to which it has been degraded by a set of political ruffians, whose deeds have astonished the civilized world. Elsewhere in this issue will be found a statement of the result of the convention's work. Lasting but a day, it did a work that every Democrat can endorse and every one support. It knocked every prop from under political purification, by holding as fair and as free a convention as ever held by any party in any State or for any purpose, not excepting a Sunday-school gathering. No convention ever selected a fair chairman and no majority ever respected the rights of the minority more than did the true and noble Democrats of this convention. Every man was heard who had a message to deliver, and every candidate was given equal chance. The convention made its platform without a jar, which is American wide and Democratic strong—broad enough for all people to stand on, who love law and order, who denounce and discountenance assassination; strong enough to hold up the government, and charitable enough to forgive the misdoings of all mankind except the iniquitous and unpardonable sins of the Republican party. It named its candidate without any disputes, wrangles or unfair methods—our acting Governor J. C. W. Beckham, whose wise, efficient and courageous management of the affairs of the State for the brief but perilous time of the last few months, commended him to the great majority of the Democrats throughout the State, and that spoke in unmistakable tones. The wisdom of the selection is apparent to any well informed Democrat, and an open endorsement of this worthy, fearless and able young Governor is the pride of the Democrats of the State. He is young, but in youth we find vigor of body, vigor of intellect and the nobility of aspirations. History recites the fact that many of the greatest men in all ages won their distinction and blessed mankind before the head was grey. It is but silly, idle talk of many to discredit our nominee by asserting that he is too young. He is as old as the Constitution requires, as able and fearless as all true Democrats demand. As to his ability his record is ample proof, as to his worthiness, his nomination is conclusive, and as to his youth, the Constitution is the supreme judge. We feel proud to support him for the highest office within the gift of our State, believing beyond a doubt that his election is inevitable. The party is aroused, the party is united, and in November will score the greatest victory of the last decade.

At a very early hour last Friday morning, after the delegates had been up all night, the Democratic State Convention nominated J. C. W. Beckham by acclamation for Governor. Two other names—Black and Tavin—were presented to the Convention but were withdrawn before finishing the roll-call. Mr. Beckham organized the convention by electing Judge J. E. Robbins temporary chairman over Mr. Frank Peake by a vote of 628 to 416, and the temporary organization was made permanent. The platform does not urge an extra session of the Legislature for the purpose of amending the election law, but recommends that the instrument be modified, and declared that, until such legislation can be enacted, the Republican party should have representation upon the State and all county boards of election commissioners. The report of the Committee on organization, as adopted, included an amendment to the rules governing the State Central Committee which will give that committee power to settle disputes where two or more persons are claiming a nomination in any Congressional, Railroad or Judicial district. County contests of like character shall be settled by county committee and legislative district committee by the legislative district committee.

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HOGS.

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Culton's testimony was startling and strong. He detailed conversations showing that Powers realized the lawless character of the enterprise on which he was embarked and the danger of being indicted for the murder of Mr. Goebel. He stated that it was Charles Finley's suggestion that the mob, on its arrival, should disguise its purpose by announcing that they had come to petition the Legislature. While in jail he was offered one hundred dollars by Powers not to testify. He also told witness that Bradley and other Republican leaders would provide for his family.

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Russell county, prior to July 1st, 1900, one-half mile heats, two best in three, \$5.00 to the first and \$2.50 to the second..... 7.50

RUSSELL COUNTY TROT OR PACE

31st Fastest trotter or pacer owned in Russell county, prior to July 1st, 1900, mile heat, two best in three—5 to enter, three to start; entrance fee 75c per cent; \$15 to first and \$10 to second..... 25.00

SECOND DAY.

Wednesday, August 15.

SHEEP

32. Best buck two years old and over..... 2.50
33. Best buck one year old and under..... 2.50
34. Best ewe two years old and over..... 2.50
35. Best ewe one year old and under..... 2.50
36. Special premium by J. H. Smith & Co., Fort Hill, Ky., dealers in general merchandise, Russell Springs, Ky., best cow, one-half mile heats, two best in three..... 5.00
37. Special premium by same as 36, best cow, one-half mile heats, two best in three..... 5.00
38. Special premium by J. H. Newman & Co., wholesale grocers, Louisville, Ky., best cow, one-half mile heats, two best in three..... 5.00

HORSES FOR GENERAL UTILITY

39. Best stallion, four years old and over, to be ridden and driven; consideration: speed, style and saddle qualities..... 10.00
40. Best mare or gelding, four years old and over, to be ridden and driven, consideration same as 38..... 10.00
41. Best stallion, three years old and under four..... 5.00
42. Best stallion, mare or gelding, two years old and under three..... 5.00
43. Best stallion, mare or gelding, one year old and under two..... 5.00
44. Fastest plug horse, one-half mile heats, two best in three; \$5.00 to the first and \$2.50 to the second..... 10.00
45. Special premium by A. H. Tuley, dealer in general merchandise, Russell Springs, Ky., best 6-wheeler rider..... 5.00

ROADSTER STALLION

46. Best roadster, stallion, mare or gelding, consideration: speed, style, soundness and pleasant handling; one-half mile heats, two best in three..... 10.00

PONY RACE

47. Fastest pony fourteen hands or under, to be measured by the judges, one-half mile heats, two best in three..... 7.50

DOUBLE TEAM

48. Best pair of mares or geldings, consideration: style and pleasant handling..... 10.00

MULE RACE

49. Fastest mule, one-half mile heat, two best in three..... 5.00

SPEED RINGS

50. Running race, thorough bred, one-half mile heats, two best in three, five to enter and three to start. Entrance fee 75c per cent; \$25 to first and \$15 to the second..... 30.00

TROT

51. Fastest trotter in Russell or adjoining counties, mile heats, two best in three, five to enter three to start. Entrance fee 75c per cent; \$25 to first and \$15 to the second..... 40.00

THIRD DAY,

Thursday August 16.

CATTLE

52. Best bull calf under six months old..... 2.50
53. Special premium by The Adair County News—Best calf owned and raised in Russell county, one year old or under..... 2.50
54. Special premium by J. L. Darrell, proprietor K. M. L. Hotel and Feed Stable, Kimble, Ky.—Best bull one year old and under two..... 5.00
55. Best bull any kind, two years old and over..... 5.00
56. Best cow any kind under two years old..... 2.50
57. Best cow any kind two years old and over..... 5.00
58. Special premium by J. H. Smith & Co., Fort Hill, Ky., best short horn bull any age..... 5.00

PHAETON PONY

59. Best phaeton pony 144 hands or under..... 7.50

DRAFT HORSES

60. Best stallion any age..... 5.00
61. Best mare or gelding any age..... 5.00

BICYCLE RACE

62. Fastest bicycle rider, mile heats two best in three..... 15.00

MODEL RING

63. Handiest stallion any age..... 10.00

SLOW MULE RACE

64. Slowest mule..... 5.00

RIDING RING

65. Nicest lady and gentleman riders under 16 years old, full premium to lady..... 5.00
66. Special premium by J. W.

Coffey, blacksmith and wood worker—Handsome baby under one year old..... 5.00

COLT SHOW

67. Best horse colt foal of 1900..... 5.00
68. Best mare colt of 1900..... 5.00
69. Grady, proprietor Gradyville stock stable, Gradyville, Ky.—Season of 1901 to Jordan House, best mare and colt owned in Russell county..... 10.00

DOUBLE TEAM

70. Fastest double team regardless of sex or ownership..... 10.00

FOOT RACE

71. Fastest runner 100 yards..... 5.00

FAT MAN RIDING RING

72. Special premium by Joe H. Gibson, Cashier First National Bank, Somerset, Ky.—Best fat man rider weighing over 300 pounds, riders to change horses..... 5.00

PLUG HORSE RACE

73. Fastest plug horse, mile heats two best in three..... 15.00

SPEED RING

74. Fastest trotter or pacer owned in Russell or adjoining counties, mile heats, two best in three, 5 to enter, 3 to start. Entrance fee 75c per cent; \$35 to first \$15 to second..... 50.00

FOURTH DAY.

Friday, August 18

JACKS

75. Best jack any age..... 5.00
76. Special premium by W. L. Powell, dealer in fine stock, Jamestown, Ky.—Best jack two years old and under three..... 5.00

MULES

77. Best mule 3 years old and over..... 5.00
78. Best mule two years old and under three..... 5.00
79. Best mule one year old and under two..... 5.00
80. Best mule foal of 1900..... 5.00

SADDLE HORSES

81. Best stallion three years old and over..... 7.50
82. Best stallion two years old and under three..... 5.00
83. Best mare or gelding three years old and over..... 7.50
84. Special premium by M. Craven, druggist, Columbia, Ky., best saddle mare two years old and under three..... 5.00
85. Special premium by A. H. Holt, proprietor Commercial Hotel and dealer in general merchandise, Jamestown, Ky., best saddle mare four years old and over, owned in Russell county prior to July 1st, 1900..... 5.00

SWEETSTAKES SADDLE

86. Best stallion, mare or gelding any age..... 10.00

DOUBLE TEAM

87. Best pair mares to be driven..... 10.00
88. Best pair geldings to be driven..... 10.00

WORST TURNOUT

89. Ugliest turnout, everything considered..... 5.00

FINEST TURNOUT

90. Handsomest turnout, every thing considered..... 10.00

PARADE OF PREMIUM STOCK

91. Special premium by T. G. Dillon, representing, Stratton & Terstege, wholesale grocers and dealers in fancy horses and owners of Kentucky Squirrels—Best brood mare owned in Russell county, season of 1901 to Kentucky Squirrels..... 10.00

DOUBLE TEAM

92. Free for all. Fastest runner, one-half mile heats, two best in three. Entrance fee 75c per cent, 5 enter 3 to start. \$30 to first, \$12.50 to second, \$7.50 to the third..... 50.00

WHOLESALE

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PERSONAL MENTION.

Mr. Sam Lewis was in Glasgow last week.

Miss Fannie Garnett is visiting in Lexington.

Mr. A. B. Gowdy has returned to Campbellville.

Mr. John Q. Alexander, of Campbellville, was here last Friday.

Mr. Jo Russell was at the Russell Springs two days of last week.

Mr. G. A. Kinsale, Kinsale, was in Columbia Friday.

Mr. J. C. Hardin, of Harrodsburg, is visiting relatives in Columbia.

Peter Strange and Jo Coffey, Jr., were in Campbellville Monday night.

Mr. J. L. McLean, who is employed at Glasgow, is spending a few days at home.

Miss Maggie Huthinson, of Kanis, is visiting the family of Mrs. Kate Smith.

Mr. F. M. Frazer and her two sons, Otto and Will Ed, of Middletown, are visiting in Columbia.

Mrs. Ellen Bergin, after spending a month with relatives here, left for her home in St. Louis Monday morning.

Mr. H. Blair, of Kansas, is visiting her father in Russell county, after an absence of twenty years.

Mrs. Jennie Hardin, of Harrodsburg, is visiting the family of Mr. R. L. Hatcher.

Mrs. J. W. Jones was in Columbia one day last week enroute to her home in Edinburg, Kansas.

Mr. S. A. Simpson, Secretary of the Russell Springs Fair, had business in Columbia last Friday.

Mr. Z. H. Grissom, who is traveling for a Knoxville clothing house, was here the first of this week.

Miss Lillie Goodman and her brother, of Glasgow, who visited the family of Mr. Sam Lewis, have returned home.

Capt. W. W. Brashaw, James Garret, Jr., and Mr. C. S. Harris attended the Democratic State Convention.

Mr. A. A. Strange and wife, who have been visiting in Western Kentucky, returned home last Wednesday night.

Mrs. Sarah E. Rarger, of Russell county, is visiting her brother and family in this city, the Rev. Jesse L. Murrell.

Mrs. J. E. McFarland, who visited relatives in Columbia for several weeks, left for her home in Columbus, Ohio, last Friday morning.

Mr. Martin Dannon and wife, of Missouri, are visiting relatives in Adair county. Before returning home they will spend several weeks at the Russell Springs.

Mr. C. H. Hall, of Louisville, is visiting his brother and sisters in this town and is so well pleased with this section that he has decided to make his home here.

Mr. L. G. Willis, son of Mr. Pack Willis, returned home last Friday. He left this county five years ago and served in the army three years of that time, doing service in the Philippines.

Miss Kate Vardeman, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. James Garret, Jr., left for her home in Vandalia, Mo., last week. She became quite popular during her stay in this city.

Mr. John N. Conover, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Johnson, Mrs. Ella Bergin and James May Spears, Miss Conover, Ben Dobson, and Marietta Rowe spent last Sunday at the Russell Springs.

Mr. J. B. Richards, who lives in Wisconsin, brother of Mr. W. W. Richards, of this place, met with a very serious and which may prove to be a fatal accident a few days ago. The pulley of a hayfork fell upon him.

LOCAL JOTTINGS.

The Russell Springs Fair is booming.

Francis M. Jones, Sparksville, has been granted a pension of \$17.00 per month.

Don't fail to attend the School meeting in the Court-house at 7:30 p. m. this evening.

Messrs. J. H. Young and J. E. Barton sold 125 ewes last week at \$2.30 per head. They have 25 wethers for sale.

The management of the Russell Springs Fair is assured of a very large crowd. Adair county will send a large delegation.

A large flourishing school in Columbia would prove a great stimulus to business. Hundreds of dollars would be sent here annually.

The Russell Springs medical society will meet on the first Thursday and Friday in August, 1900.

WM. BLAIR, Pres.

Russell Springs Fair privileges will be sold to the highest and best bidder at Kinsale, Saturday, July 28th.

S. A. SIMPSON, Secy. 2t

Thoroughbred Berkshire pigs for sale. The finest Southern Kentucky. Registered. Call on Geo. Atkins at T. B. Stitts, Columbia, Ky.

The King Mabel Company, 224 West Jefferson St., Louisville, sell the best and cheapest mantels in the city. They represent three of the best factories, and manufacturer much of their stock. 6-3-3m.

Notes.

We have a lot of good from hoop barrels for sale. Willis Bros.

Persons who want a few days of recreation should begin on the 14th day of August, and select the Russell Springs Fair as the place.

When you visit Louisville, stop at the New Phoenix Hotel. First-class fare, and well located, corner of 7th and Market Streets.

Now is the time for the people of this town to think of securing a graded school. Outside help is coming. Come to the Court-house at 7:30 p. m. to-day and hear Dr. McDonald.

While Rev. T. F. Walton and wife were visiting in Knox county the cyclone in their garden became too indolent and grew out of proportion, many of them weighing three pounds.

I desire to return my heartfelt thanks to the many friends for their manifested kindness during the illness and death of my beloved wife.

C. C. YATES.

Gradyville Ky.

Mrs. Susan Lee, mother of Mr. Geo. Lee, Campbellville, died at her home in Danville, Wednesday, the 18th inst. She was quite an old lady, and one of the most respected in Boyle county.

I will, on 27th day of July, 1900, at the state house now occupied by me in Columbia Ky., receive and hear proof of claims against the estate of C. R. Warner.

ATLERY PILL, Assignee of C. R. Warner.

Attention.

I have decided to close my shop on Sundays. No more work will be done for any one on the Sabbath. Please govern yourselves accordingly.

W. T. PINCK.

Mr. Samuel Kelsey and Miss Martha Hart, living near Westley, Russell county, who visited in marriage on the 12th inst. Rev. R. C. Simmons, in a very solemn service, joined the happy couple, receiving their most sacred vows.

Special Notice.

My accounts are due July 1st. Please call and pay your account, or note without further notice. I need the money.

D. H. EUTLER.

On Wednesday, August 1st, S. C. Neal, who lives near Neatsburg, will sell, at public outcry, several valuable horses, pigs, cattle and farming implements. At the same time he will offer his farm for sale. On it is a new residence and all necessary out buildings.

From the present outlook the farmers throughout this section will have to change their crops. The indications are that the ears will be two foot long upon an average, and in circumference, in proportion to the length.

Mr. Hatten P. Redman is the first man to pay tax in this county for 1900. There is nothing like being punctual. The sooner a man pays the better he feels; but Mr. Redman has never been accused of being a slow man in paying his dues.

The residence of Mr. Silas Cain, whose farm is on the Burkville road, five miles from Columbia, was consumed by fire one night last week. We do not know the origin of the fire. Insurance amounting to four hundred dollars was on the property. Mr. Cain will rebuild.

Mr. Lewis Triplett and family return their heartfelt thanks to the many who so kindly rendered assistance during late sickness and death. The wife of Eugene Triplett, Jones, expressing her gratitude to all those who closely watched her husband in his dying hours.

Miss Laura Cook, who lived near town, and who has been in a very critical condition for several days, died yesterday morning at 7 o'clock. She was a member of the Methodist church and an active worker in religious work. She was buried near her late home.

Tom Johnston, a young man eighteen years old, of Lebanon, a nephew of Mr. W. S. Barker, this city, was accidentally drowned in Rolling Fork last week. He could not swim and was out with a party of bathers. Getting into deep water, he was drowned before his companions missed him. Mr. Barker attended the funeral.

John Gowen, charged with assaulting his own daughter, was before Judge Butler last week. During the progress of the trial it developed that the accused was mentally wrong. The charge was, therefore, changed to lunacy and he was adjudged insane. He was carried to Aschbach by Sheriff J. W. Harris.

Mr. Sam Dannon, of Casey county, was to leave this Tuesday morning and is outpoken in his support of the entire Democratic ticket, both State and National. Mr. Dannon is one of the many good Democrats who voted and worked for John Young Brown last year but he now says that there is no reason why he and all others should not support Mr. Beckham. He was honest in his course last year and his support of the nominee this year does not reflect on his honesty of purpose, but it does speak in unmistakable terms that he is just what he claims to be—a democrat. Thousands of other good Democrats would do as Mr. Dannon is doing. The price of the paper to pursue and so Democrat will dispute it.

Mr. H. C. Baker is in receipt of a letter from Dr. McDonald, which states that the Home Educational Board in New York has decided to make an annual appropriation to the school here equaling the receipts of a \$10,000 endowment, provided the people of this town and county will get up certain sum, the amount of which we are not advised, but are informed that their demands are exceedingly reasonable. Dr. McDonald will arrive this Tuesday evening, and a popular meeting will be held in the Court-house tomorrow at 7:30 p. m., at which time Dr. McDonald will make known the amount expected from this section and give all information necessary for a full and complete understanding of what they will do to establish and maintain this school. This meeting should be attended by every business man in this town, by every friend of education. Everything is working to our interest and unless this community refuses to help itself there is not a doubt but we will soon have one of the best schools in Southern Kentucky. Do not fail to come to this meeting for this help must be secured. We can afford to let it fall. For a business standpoint no man in this town can afford to be indifferent to the building of such a school from an educational standpoint we all know it would be a great boon to this community, but we must do something and it must be done at once if we expect our children to be the beneficiaries of better educational facilities. Now is the time to act while outside help is offered. If the people of this town slight this opportunity it will be the greatest mistake the town has ever made, and besides it will again invite the people who want a good school to push their claims for a graded school, which has heretofore failed twice, but the third time may prove effective. Let us all attend the meeting and work for the school.

Last Friday night about eleven o'clock Dr. W. E. Grissom and wife, who were visiting in marriage on the 12th inst. Rev. R. C. Simmons, in a very solemn service, joined the happy couple, receiving their most sacred vows.

The Columbia Spectator, the Republican organ of this county, changed hands last Thursday. Mr. A. A. Strange, who has been its editor and proprietor for several years, some time ago accepted a position in the Government Printing office, Washington, D. C., and expecting to be recalled to the post of duty, sold the outfit, good will, etc., to Mr. W. D. Jones, Adair's county School Superintendent.

Mr. Jones will continue to publish the paper which will continue to advocate the Republican principles, and Mr. Carl Strang will look after the mechanical part of the business.

Last Sunday forenoon during a heavy rain and thunder storm, a horse in Hon. Geo. Nell's barn belonging to his daughter, Mrs. Jo Rosenfield, was struck by lightning and killed. The barn was damaged but little. The dwelling house occupied by J. H. Wade, of color, in the suburbs of town, was also struck, destroying the roof, and shocking several persons who were in the house. One woman was knocked senseless, but was restored to consciousness by a physician, who was immediately called.

Notice.

Tax for 1900 is now due. You are requested to settle same at once. Those owing tax for 1899-1900, must pay at once or a levy will be made. Indignation ceases to be a virtue. I mean business; so you may expect a levy unless you pay at once.

J. W. HUNT, Sheriff.

Mr. H. L. Herwich, cigar manufacturer of Somerset, made a narrow escape from a watery grave last Monday. He attempted to cross Russell's creek at this place, the stream being past its usual stage. He was unable to get across and when he reached the current the swift water washed him from the vehicle, and it was with much difficulty he got out of the bank. He and his buggy were saved by two men who happened upon the scene.

Judge W. M. Myers, Messrs. Q. B. Jones, J. C. Conter and W. Wilkerson, the Casey county delegation to the Democratic Convention held in Lexington last week, are all fine looking men, their average weight being 217 pounds. Judge W. M. Jones, of this county, brother to Mr. Q. B. Jones above mentioned, but they differ widely in their political views. Mr. Jones, of Casey, being an enthusiastic Democrat.

"Old Spuk," that good old horse that belonged to Buck Barber, passed in to the realm of the great beyond last Wednesday. He was 18 years old and had been an exceedingly valuable horse. Spuk is gone after doing much hard work, though Buck is not accustomed to over working him—that was left for others, but after all he lived to ripe old age and will be missed by his former owner and many others.

Born to the wife of G. H. Myers, July 12, 1900, a fine daughter.

The Arc Very Pleasant.

Smokers attention. It has come at last. The Never Down, Log Run and Kestone cigar. Its made of cabbage leaves and rotten stock, had favor. If you don't believe it, try one and you will like it. Ask your merchant for it. Manufactured by S. L. Howitt, Somerset, Ky.

GREENSBURG.

The Newsman, Mr. Murrell, is in our town.

Mrs. E. M. Blakeman was visiting relatives last week at Cammer, Ky.

Mrs. Bettie Blevins, of Summersville, was visiting relatives in town last week.

J. N. Lee, County Superintendent, has been on the sick list for a few days.

E. M. Blakeman and Edd Sandage are attending the Lexington convention.

The Democrats in this county think the national ticket is a strong one. Most of those who voted for Brown are enthusiastic for the ticket.

Judge W. E. Settle, of Bowling Green, spent last week in visiting his old neighbors and friends in and about Greensburg. He made an enthusiastic speech to the Democratic Convention here last Monday. Judge is a Democrat of the old school, and predicted a sweeping victory this fall.

IRVING'S STORE.

Prof. J. W. Mitchell attended court at Burkville last week.

Several of our community attended preaching at Ono last Sunday. Plenty to eat was on the grounds, and we extend many thanks to the people of that vicinity for their hospitality.

There will be an all day singing at Coffey's Chapel the first Sunday in August, conducted by Prof. Stapp.

There will be children day at Ono, the first Sunday in September.

The wife of M. W. Cooper, the 18th, a girl.

Tobias Smith is teaching the Freedom school.

The oat crop was light in this community this year.

Harris and Hopper are building a new house for Mr. G. F. Rector.

Sid Harmon, while plowing Tuesday, was waylaid and shot by his fourteen year old son, Marcus. Harmon lay at the point of death. The boy is still at large, but a posse is after him.

PELTYTON.

Jasper Doss and Tom Jones went to Cincinnati last Sunday.

Miss Estelle Willis opened her school here last Monday, with a large attendance.

Miss Ora Fesse and brother, Gur, were visiting your correspondent two days of last week.

Mr. Wm. Lemon attended quarterly meeting at Jones' Chapel last Saturday.

Rev. John Bowles, assisted by Rev. J. L. Kigore, will begin a protracted meeting at this place the 3rd Sunday in August.

Samuel Bors, sold their boiler and engine to Dave Heard & Son, of Casey Creek, for \$250.

Jan. Pelly, Dunnville, was here last Thursday.

Mr. W. H. Lemon returned home from Elkhorh this week.

Born to the wife of Jesse Sapp, the 14th, a girl.

Miss Lula Fesse returned home Friday after two weeks visit at this place.

Miss Zella Pelly has been quite sick for several days.

R. L. Murphy, wife and baby, of Dunnville, were visiting relatives here last week.

Born to the wife of Jas. Dickerson, the 12, a daughter. Her name is Minnie Joseph.

EDMONTON.

Mr. E. R. Deamshap has decided to rebuild and go into the goods business again here.

Several went from here to the Sulphur Well last Sunday.

The Metcalfe county teachers' institute convened here the 18th inst., with Prof. E. L. Gillis, Lexington, instructor and Prof. A. J. Thompson, assistant. There was a large attendance this year.

Misses Hattie Duff and Annie Vincent, Hatterville, were visiting here last week.

Miss May Vaughan, of Glasgow, and Misses Shannon, of Tompkinsville, were visiting Mrs. Judge Kinnard last week.

Prof. J. A. Howard, of Cammer, and Sam Ray, Tompkinsville, attended our institute and made us good talk.

The greater number of the schools of this county began the 18th.

Mr. Rufus Bell and sister, Miss Lora, Smith Grove, were visiting relatives here last week.

Mr. Geo. Hunley, who has been at Glasgow for a few months, has moved back to his property here.

Prof. A. J. Thompson will teach here this fall. We all realize that there is a first class school on the hill.

Mr. Lannes Nunn and his mother are visiting Mrs. O. R. Williams, of Tompkinsville, this week.

Rev. Smith and Morris are conducting a series of meetings here this week. They are doing some good preaching.

TRAINING - STABLE.

I AM NOW PREPARED TO HANDLE horses, at the fair grounds either to ride or drive. If you have a young horse that you want trained don't put it off too long for the older horse the harder he is to train. The best horses are those that are broke and trained while young. If you want work of this kind done, I am prepared to give satisfaction. My charges are very reasonable. ROBT. HUDSON, Columbia, Ky.

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Catalogues for the Russell Springs Fair will be completed this week.

GRADYVILLE.

Clay Kinnard, of Red Lick, was with us a few days ago, looking after young mules.

Mrs. Ann Turk, of Columbia, spent a few days last week, visiting in this community.

Smith & Nell shipped a car load of fat cattle to the Louisville market this week. Bought of Will Hindman, 12 head of stock hifers, to be delivered in September, at 8c.

The Ministerial Meeting here that was conducted by the Baptist brethren, last week, was very interesting and instructive; large attendance, good preaching and plenty to eat. We regret that it did not last longer.

Mr. J. E. Moore and children, of Case Valley, spent a few days of last week, visiting friends and relatives in this city last week.

Mr. Jo Yates' 18 months old child died Sunday evening. Apparently it was in good health, and its death was so sudden that it is believed that the trouble was a spasm. Mr. Yates had the child in his arms when all at once it expired. The burial took place Monday afternoon.

FROM FRV.

This place not being represented in The News, a paper that is doing the most good for Democracy, I conclude to pen a few items.

We are having excessive warm weather and but little rain.

Wheat threshing is over in this section and the crop was an average one, despite the work of the fly.

Much attention is paid the cultivation of tobacco in this section. It looks fairly well at present.

Mr. Isaac Hartford, our old and well-known German citizen, died near here recently.

The mail service between this place and Exio has been increased from three to six trips per week, with E. H. Blard as carrier and sub-contractor.

Mr. W. L. Walker and wife, of Columbia, were visiting Miss Ann Coffey recently.

Alfred Parsons and wife, of Columbia, are visiting the family of J. H. Squires.

Rev. Hulse and others have been engaged in a series of meetings at Pleasant Ridge for several days. We understand their labors have been attended with success.

Medames Laura Whitlock and Frances Howard are on the sick list.

Rev. Hulse and others began a protracted meeting at Summer Shade Church on the evening of the 19th inst. We desire that much and lasting good may be accomplished at this place.

Schools have all opened in this part of Green county with able and experienced teachers. They report fairly good attendance.

Messrs. M. H. Marcom and Ed. Atkins, two popular salesmen, were here taking orders this week.

G. W. Whitlock has bought the blacksmith shop and tools of Jeff Parsons. McMahon & Estes continue at their stand.

RUSSELLSPRINGSFAIR

FOUR DAYS.

August 14th, 15th, 16 and 17th, 1900.

No one should fail to attend this exhibition, as it is one of the best Fairs in the State. The premium list is

LIBERAL

and sharp competition may be expected. The management has been assured of many more

FINE HORSES

this season, and this feature of the Fair will be especially interesting.

SPLENDID BAND

of musicians, and a good time is guaranteed to everybody who may attend.

THE GROUNDS

have been put in excellent shape, and every thing has been done to accommodate the vast crowd. Premium list will be out in a few days. Remember the dates, August 14—four days

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S. A. SIMPSON, Sec.

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I say this with the full knowledge of other drills. It has a force fertilizer feed and I can furnish you either the Disc, Hoe or Shoe Drill that will feed from three pecks to three bushels per acre. It is easily adjusted and any one can operate it. I can also furnish the best brands of

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on the market from \$1.00 up. Farm Implements of all kinds for sale. Call and see us.

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A Slaughter Sale!

The entire stock of goods formerly controlled by Mr. C. R. Wariner is now for sale at cost. This stock of goods consists of a general line of a good quality. This will not last long. Here's some prices. Best Shirts, 5 to 7c. Two packs Arm and Hammer Brand Soda, 5c. Monarch Coffee, 15c. Mens' Ladies and Children's Shoes of fine quality at Manufacturers prices. Come at once if you want a bargain. 1,000 articles bound to go.

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ELECTIONS TO BE HELD IN 1900

Officers Besides Presidential Election To Be Chosen This Year.

All the States of the Union, now forty-five in number, will choose President and electors and members of Congress on November 9, except Oregon, whose two Congressmen were chosen on June 4. All the Territories will elect delegates on the same day and the following elections will also be held in November:

Colorado, to choose a successor to the present Democratic Governor and Democratic-Republican State officials.

Connecticut to choose a whole State ticket. The present Governor is a Republican.

Delaware, a Governor for four years in place of the Democratic incumbent. There is no Lieutenant Governor in Delaware.

Idaho, a State ticket for two years.

Illinois, a State ticket for four years.

Indiana, a State ticket for four years.

Iowa, a Secretary of State.

Kansas, a Governor and State ticket for two years.

Kentucky, through the legal complications arising from the shooting of Governor Goebel, a Governor in the place of Beckham, the present Governor.

Massachusetts, a complete State ticket for one year.

Michigan, a State ticket for two years.

Minnesota, a State ticket for two years. The present Governor is a Populist, and his associates in the administration are Republicans.

Missouri, a Governor and State officers, over the election of whom there will be a hard fight. The term of office in Missouri is four years.

Montana, a Governor and other State officers, now divided between the Clark and Daly factions of Democrats.

Nebraska, which has a Populist Governor and a Populist-Democratic State administration, will fill all these places besides choosing legislators, who will have the selection of two United States Senators.

New Hampshire, in which a Governor and State officers will be chosen.

New York, in which the Governor, Lieutenant Governor and State officers, as well as both branches of the Legislature, will be voted for.

North Carolina, in which a Governor and all State officers will be elected for the period of four years, and a constitutional amendment be submitted to the voters.

North Dakota, in which a Governor and State officers will be voted for.

Ohio, in which a Secretary of State will be the highest official voted for.

Pennsylvania, in which two Congressmen-at-large will be chosen.

South Carolina, in which a complete State ticket will be elected for two years.

South Dakota, in which a Governor and State officers will be chosen for a like period.

Tennessee, in which a Governor, Treasurer and Auditor will be voted for. There is no Lieutenant Governor in Tennessee.

Texas, in which a whole State ticket will be chosen.

Utah, in which a Governor and State officers will be chosen. Utah has not had a State election since 1890.

Washington, in which a Governor and State officers will be elected for four years. The present administration there is Populist.

West Virginia, in which a Governor and State officers will be elected for a like period. The present administration of West Virginia is Republican.

Wisconsin, in which a Governor and State officers will be elected.

The States in which there will be no general election for State officers this year are Maryland, Mississippi, Nevada, New Jersey and Virginia. The States which have already held their State elections are Rhode Island, which chose a Governor and State officers in April; Louisiana, which holds its State election in the same month, and Oregon, which voted in June.

That Throbbing Headache Would quickly leave you, if you used Dr. King's New Life Pills. Thousands of sufferers have proved their matchless merit for sick Nervous Headaches. They make pure blood and build up your health. Only 25 cents. Money back if not cured. Sold by T. E. Paull, druggist.

Lester Beach, a twenty-year old boy, attempted suicide at Anderson because he had been scolded by his step-mother.

THE REPUBLICAN PLATFORM.

First.—The Republican party of Kentucky, in convention assembled, is confronted with a special and extraordinary duty in the election of a Governor of this Commonwealth November next.

The convention has been called for the purpose of presenting to the people a candidate for that office. The events of the past twelve months draw together all the friends of sound order and civil liberty. Officials elected by the people at the polls have denied their offices, and the people of Kentucky deprived of the right of choosing their State officials. Republican members of the Legislature were unlawfully ousted, the city of Louisville deprived of the right to any part in the conduct of the government, the counties of Johnston, Menifee and Martin have been denied all voice in the choice of our officers, the courts declare that the only remedy for such invasions of personal liberty rests with the people at the polls.

We declare that only tolerable government is self-government. We demand that in this State all men must be free and equal, and that the will of the people must be supreme law of the State. We demand for each child a free school, but we deny that education or accumulated property alone confer the right of suffrage. The first duty of Kentucky citizenship is to repudiate the Goebel election law, which is the source and continuing strength of the wrong done in this State.

A vote of confidence next November in men who are all usurpers of office, and who have for a year past been acting together to thwart the declared will of the people, will be accepted as a vote of confidence in the election law that is a blot on our state books. The Goebel law must be abolished or republican institutions must be surrendered. The convention invites all friends of civil liberty and social order to unite with the Republicans of Kentucky in securing the repeal of the Goebel election law and the preservation of the liberties of the people. We congratulate the Republican party on the efforts made by Gov. Taylor and his co-officials to secure this right to the people, and thereby prevent that State from having as officers men defeated at the polls.

Second.—We endorse the action of the Republican national convention, held in the city of Philadelphia last month, and the nominations of President McKinley and Governor Roosevelt.

Third.—We desire to express our indignation at the inhuman massacre of our fellow-citizens in China, and give voice hereby to our sympathy for the relations of those so foully murdered, and express appreciation of the courage of the American sailors, marines and soldiers now engaged in protecting American citizens in that country. We urge upon the national administration that every effort be made to protect the lives and property of American citizens now in such imminent peril.

Deafness Cannot be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian tube. When this tube gets inflamed you have a running sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by catarrh which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars, free.

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Hall's Family Pills are the best.

Lat Hitt, the detective, was shot in the head at Lagrange by a negro while hunting a burglar. Four suspects are under arrest and there is much excitement.

Prevented A Tragedy. Timely information given Mrs. Geo. Long, of New Straitsville, Ohio, saved two lives. A frightful cough had long kept her awake every night. She had tried many remedial and doctors but steadily grew worse until urged to try Dr. King's New Discovery. One bottle wholly cured her; and she writes, "This marvelous medicine also cured Mr. Long of a severe attack of Pneumonia. Such cures are positive proof of its power to cure all throat, chest and lung troubles. Only 50c and \$1.00. Guaranteed. Trial bottles free at T. E. Paull's drug store."

Story Of A Slave.

To be bound hand and foot for years by the chains of disease is the worst form of slavery. George D. Williams, of Manchester, Mich., says: "My wife has been so helpless for five years that she could not turn over in bed alone. After using two bottles of Electric Bitters she is wonderfully improved and able to do her own work." This supreme remedy for female diseases quickly cures constipation, sleeplessness, melancholy, headache, backache, fainting and dizzy spells. It is a good tonic to weak, sickly, run-down people. Cure guaranteed. Only 50c. Sold by T. E. Paull, druggist.

Mark Hanna has yet something to learn of the character and temper of American men. The old American spirit is not dead. The republic is dear to the hearts of Americans. The thought of empire in the place of the republic is inexpressible repugnant. The people of this great and free country, proud of the things for which their country stands, will be swift and sure to hurl from power the Hanneanized party which seeks to wreck the republic for the building of an empire.

It Helped Win Battles.

Twenty-nine officers and men wrote from the front to say that for scratches, Bruises, Cuts, Wounds, Sore Feet and Stiff Joints, Bucklen's Arnica Salve is the best in the world. Same for Cuts, Skin Eruptions and Piles. 25c a box. Cure guaranteed. Sold by T. E. Paull, druggist.

Are we to have a republic or an empire? Are trusts to be permitted to continue to keep their iron clutches on the throats of "the great common people"? Are the expenses of the Government to be still further increased unnecessarily? These are among the questions that are to be determined at the polls in the approaching November election.

An Epidemic of Diarrhoeas.

Mr. A. Sanders, writing from Coconut Grove, Fla., says there has been quite an epidemic of diarrhoeas there. He had a severe attack and was cured by four doses of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. He says he also recommended it to others, and they say it is the best medicine they ever used. For sale by M. Craven.

Col. Campbell has addressed a sarcastic letter to Gov. Mount in which he tells him how Powers tried to squirm out of being tried at the special term fixed for the trial and how the Commonwealth stood ready and willing to give the defendant a fair trial. This was in answer to Mount's charge that it was the purpose of the prosecution to postpone the trial and further harass the defendant. Campbell is a past master in the use of sarcasm and as usual makes his victim appear very infinitesimal.

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OUR GLORIOUS COUNTRY.

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Year. Population. Year. Population.
1790.....7,239,881 1890.....62,222,250
1800.....15,262,222 1870.....48,588,371
1810.....22,992,569 1860.....39,811,718
1820.....28,966,181 1850.....23,191,876
1830.....37,949,343 1840.....47,322,250

Here you have the figures of a basis of calculation. The problem now is: What will be the population of the United States, excluding recent acquisitions. The result is usually announced in July of the census year. The Weekly Enquirer is anxious to engage all in a study of the country. To this end it will distribute cash amounting to \$25,000, for solutions received of the population of the United States Census, as follows:

To the first correct answer received, \$2,000.
To the second, \$1,000.
To the third, \$500.
To the fourth, \$250.
To the fifth, \$100.
To the sixth, \$50.
To the seventh, \$25.
To the eighth, \$10.
To the ninth, \$5.
To the tenth, \$2.
To the eleventh, \$1.
To the twelfth, \$1.
To the thirteenth, \$1.
To the fourteenth, \$1.
To the fifteenth, \$1.
To the sixteenth, \$1.
To the seventeenth, \$1.
To the eighteenth, \$1.
To the nineteenth, \$1.
To the twentieth, \$1.

In case of a tie, money equally divided.

Every guess on the above proposition must be accompanied by a year's subscription to the WEEKLY ENQUIRER. You can guess as often as you care to include subscription price in the WEEKLY ENQUIRER.

This contest will close a month before the result of the census will be known and officially certified by the Director of the United States Census at Washington, D. C. For full particulars see WEEKLY ENQUIRER. Send all orders to ENQUIRER CO., Cincinnati, Ohio.

Meeting of the Medical Society.

The Russell Springs Medical Society will meet on the first Thursday and Friday in Aug., 1900, with the following program:

L. J. Godby, of Middleburg; subject, Abdominal Surgery.
J. L. Wesley, of Middleburg; subject, Obstetric Complications.
J. B. Scholl, Jabez; subj., Dysentery.
A. W. Cain, Sumner; subj., Syphilis.
L. F. Hammond, Danville; subj., Cholera Infantum.
W. B. Grison, Columbia; subject, Heart Disease.
Miss Bertie Carpenter, Hontonsville; subj., Plicenta Previa.
William Blair, Glenstock; subject, Pneumonia.
U. L. Taylor, Columbia; subj., Subject given.
W. L. Lowder, McKinney; subject, Anæsthetics in natural labor, a growing evil.
J. G. Carpenter, Stanford; Conservative Surgery of the Abdomen, Pelvis, and Obstetrics.
John R. Grady, Columbia; subj., not given.

There will be two public addresses on Thursday night.

One by U. L. Taylor on the Old and the New, the Then and the Now, of Medicine.
The other by W. L. Lowder, on the Evolution of Medicine.

WM. BLAIR, Pres.
F. A. TAYLOR, Sec.

Missionary Rally.

The following is the programme for a rally meeting of the Columbia society of this district embracing the Columbia, East Columbia, Gradyville, Jamestown and Cross church, beginning Friday night, July 27th, and continuing through Sunday the 29th.

The meeting will be held at the Carmel church, Columbia circuit, and dinner will be served on the grounds both Saturday and Sunday.

Friday night, Sermon—Rev. J. A. Johnston.
Saturday, 9 a. m.—Opening exercises.
1. God's command and our responses—Rev. J. L. Murphree.
2. What we do for missions as a church, as a Conference and as a District—Revs. J. A. Johnston, J. G. Stanton and C. O. Moss.

3. What have you done and what will you do for missions?—Rev. E. D. Watkins, Rev. J. P. Vanhook and W. S. Knight.
4. Bible Reading—Rev. T. L. Hulst. Let all bring Bibles.

Saturday night—Sermon, Rev. T. J. Campbell.
Sunday—Sermon, Rev. T. L. Hulst. Afternoon service devoted to Sunday school work, addresses, Revs. H. W. King and G. F. Dillon.

Sons and daughters of the American Revolution are pledged by their blood to vote against Empire for the salvation of the Republic.

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Good to extra light, 160 to 180 lbs..... 5 25
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Fair to good..... 3 50/63 75
Common to medium..... 3 00/63 50

Mark Hanna is warning his satellites against overconfidence. As many look at it, the danger to the Republicans will be, rather, underconfidence.

One crack of the trust bull-whip in Hanna's hands exercises more influence over the Republican party than the voice of 75,000,000 Americans.

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Considering how frail it stands forbidding American entrance on the path of Empire it's no wonder the McKinley imperialists hate the Declaration of Independence.

When Pharisee McKinley's imperial policy gets him in to a tight corner now and then he unloads responsibility onto the shoulders of Lord God Almighty.

Stung by a Centipede. Mrs. Thos. Sanders, Bluffton, Texas, was stung by a centipede. A doctor was sent for, but before he arrived some sensible friend wet a piece of brown paper with Morley's Wonderful Elixir and applied it to the wound. The doctor said his services were not needed, for the poison was neutralized or killed by the Wonderful Elixir. Mrs. S. did not suffer from the wound. Free trial bottles at W. M. Bell, Jopka Ky.

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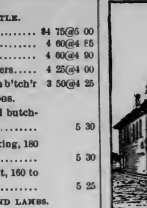
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—TO BE HELD WITH—
Bethlehem Church, Pulaski County, Kentucky,
July the 28th and 29th, 1900.

Saturday, 10 a. m.
1. Devotional exercises—J. M. Floyd.
2. What interest ought we take in carrying out the commission—S. C. Jones and Jacob Mayfield.
3. Who ought to support the preaching of the Gospel—Wm. S. Taylor and W. B. Cave.
4. Is there any scripture for appointing a committee to see an erring brother—D. F. Epperson and J. M. P. Floyd.
5. Is the Lord's Supper restricted—J. C. Clemens and J. J. Cooper.

Sunday Morning, 9 a. m.
1. Devotional exercises—Wm. H. Collins.
2. Is it the duty of every church to have a Sunday school and who should attend—C. F. Breeding and J. W. New.
3. Ought not the members of the church to read the scriptures more—O. C. Trimble and F. G. Merriks.
4. Sermon—Jacob Mayfield.
5. The Question Box on hand each day. Everybody invited to attend.

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